

SENATE BILL 43

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(PRE-FILED)

By: **Senator Haines**

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Assigned to: Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Public Safety – Board of Boiler Rules – Membership**

3 FOR the purpose of altering the membership of the Board of Boiler Rules in the
4 Division of Labor and Industry in the Department of Labor, Licensing, and
5 Regulation to include a representative of owners of agricultural, model, or
6 historical steam engine equipment rather than a representative of owners and
7 users of heating boilers.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,
9 Article – Public Safety
10 Section 12–904(a)
11 Annotated Code of Maryland
12 (2003 Volume and 2009 Supplement)

13 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
14 Article – Public Safety
15 Section 12–904(b)
16 Annotated Code of Maryland
17 (2003 Volume and 2009 Supplement)

18 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
19 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

20 **Article – Public Safety**

21 12–904.

22 (a) There is a Board of Boiler Rules in the Division of Labor and Industry in
23 the Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation.

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.



1 (b) (1) The Board consists of the following 10 members:

2 (i) as an ex officio member, the Commissioner; and

3 (ii) nine members appointed by the Governor with the advice of
4 the Secretary and with the advice and consent of the Senate.

5 (2) Of the nine appointed members of the Board:

6 (i) one shall be a representative of owners and users of power
7 boilers;

8 (ii) one shall be a representative of owners [and users of heating
9 boilers] **OF AGRICULTURAL, MODEL, OR HISTORICAL STEAM ENGINE**
10 **EQUIPMENT;**

11 (iii) one shall be a representative of owners and users of pressure
12 vessels;

13 (iv) one shall be a representative of manufacturers or
14 assemblers of boilers or pressure vessels;

15 (v) one shall be a representative of an insurer authorized to
16 insure boilers or pressure vessels;

17 (vi) one shall be a mechanical engineer on the faculty of a
18 recognized engineering college in the State;

19 (vii) one shall be a stationary engineer;

20 (viii) one shall be a professional engineer with boiler or pressure
21 vessel experience; and

22 (ix) one shall be a consumer member.

23 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
24 October 1, 2010.